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House Resolution 1027

By: Representatives Erwin of the 32nd, Cox of the 28th, Ballard of the 147th, Corbett of the 174th, and Townsend of the 179th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the Professional Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE) and recognizing
- 2 February 20, 2024, as PAGE Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the Professional Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE) is the state's largest
- 4 organization for professional educators with more than 94,000 members who are teachers,
- 5 administrators, and support personnel employed in every school system in Georgia; and
- 6 WHEREAS, PAGE was founded in the 1970s with the mission to make Georgia a better
- 7 place for students to learn and for teachers to teach; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the PAGE Foundation sponsors the Academic Bowl for middle grades, the
- 9 Georgia Academic Decathlon for high school students, and the Student and Teacher
- 10 Achievement Recognition (STAR) program; and
- WHEREAS, PAGE has promoted teaching as a profession by sponsoring local chapters of
- 12 the Future Georgia Educators in middle and high schools across the state; and
- 13 WHEREAS, PAGE provides legal protection and professional learning to enhance
- 14 competence and confidence, build leadership, and increase student achievement; and

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15 WHEREAS, PAGE actively participates in the legislative process each year, working to

- 16 improve education and student achievement while promoting a positive and professional
- 17 working relationship with legislative representatives across the state; and
- 18 WHEREAS, on February 20, 2024, PAGE members and leaders will gather at the state
- 19 capitol to meet with their local legislators.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 21 the members of this body commend the Professional Association of Georgia Educators
- 22 (PAGE) for its advocacy and support of educators and education and recognize February 20,
- 23 2024, as PAGE Day at the state capitol.
- 24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
- 26 Professional Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE).